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April 29, 2022

The Honorable Rosa L. DeLauro
Chair
House Appropriations Committee
H-307, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
1036 Longworth House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting **\$5,000,000** for the **Runway #14 Resurfacing (3000' ft) for Youngstown-Warren Regional Airport** in Fiscal Year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is **Western Reserve Port Authority** located at **100 E. Federal Street, Suite 422, Youngstown, OH 44503**. The physical address of the project location is **1453 Youngstown-Kingsville Rd., Vienna, OH 44473**.

This project consists of rehabilitating a 3000' section of a 9000' main runway at the Youngstown-Warren Regional Airport. Funds would be used towards milling and paving along with associated drainage upgrades and required pavement markings. This project is warranted due to the existing condition rating (poor) of the pavement condition. The importance of this project is to establish long term sustainability of the Air Force Reserve Station, their 1900 employees and annual impact of \$140,000,000 to the region's economy. The project will aid existing private and corporate aviation users and help attract new commercial and cargo service to the airport. This long-term investment would see benefit back to the taxpayer in job sustainability and growth along with private sector investment in landside commercial and warehousing construction. I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Tim Ryan
Member of Congress